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TITLE: AUTOMATIC MEASURING DEVICE FOR MEASURING
THE DIMENSIONS OF A TOOL FOR A MACHINE TOOL

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1. Reply to Office Action (11 pages)
2. Abstract
3. Replacement Sheet of Drawings (1 sheet)
4. Substitute Specification (7 pages)
5. Marked-up Copy of Substitute Specification (9 pages)
6. Information Disclosure Statement
7. PTO-1449 Form (1)
8. Reply Transmittal (in duplicate)
9. Check (\$ 180.00)
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It is respectfully requested that these items be accorded a filing date corresponding to the above-indicated date of deposit under 37 C.F.R. §1.10.



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In re the Application of: Jacques THIBAUT, ET AL.

Application No.: 10/550,779

Filed: September 27, 2005

For: AUTOMATIC MEASURING DEVICE FOR MEASURING
THE DIMENSIONS OF A TOOL FOR A MACHINE TOOLMail Stop Amendment
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Reply for the above-identified application.

- [X] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 has previously been established.
- [X] An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed. Also enclosed is the fee (\$180.00) for filing an Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p).
- [X] No additional fee for claims is required.

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- [X] A check in the amount of \$ 180.00 is attached.
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- [X] Any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
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